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TAGS: ETRD, AR

SUBJECT: COUNTERVAILING DUTY ON ARGENTINE FOOTWEAR

REF: BUENOS AIRES 7613

1. TREASURY IS REQUESTING DELAY IN COURT HEARING ON IMPOSITION OF DUTIES ON IMPORTS OF NON-RUBBER FOOTWEAR FROM ARGENTINA. TREASURY WILL EXPLAIN TO COURT THAT GOA IS IN PROCESS OF IMPLEMENTING PROPOSAL TO ELIMINATE SUBSIDIES ON FOOTWEAR EXPORTS AND POINT OUT NEED TO CAREFULLY EXAMINE ARGENTINE PROPOSAL. TREASURY OFFICIALS EMPHASIZE THAT DELAY NOT GUARANTEED. IF DELAY REFUSED, COURT MAY ORDER THAT ACTION ON CASE BE TAKEN QUICKLY.

2. TREASURY AWARE OF PROBLEM IN OBTAINING TEXT OF DECREE BUT IF POSSIBLE FOR EMBASSY TO CABLE TEXT AND CONFIRMATION THAT DECREE SIGNED TODAY (TUESDAY) IT WOULD BE HELPFUL.

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3. TREASURY APPRECIATES FACT THAT INFORMATION ON MANNER
IN WHICH CIFEN WILL HANDLE EXPORT MARKETING OF FOOTWEAR
NOT AVAILABLE AT THIS TIME. HOWEVER, EMBASSY IS REQUESTED
TO MAKE SURE GOA UNDERSTANDS THAT CIFEN MUST NOT OPERATE IN
MANNER WHICH RESULTS IN PAYMENT OF SUBSIDIES TO FOOT-

WEAR EXPORTERS IF IMPOSITION OF DUTIES IS TO BE AVOIDED .

FOR EXAMPLE, IF CIFEN PURCHASED SHOES FROM MANUFACTURER
AT HIGH PRICE AND SOLD SHOES IN U.S. MARKET AT LOWER
PRICE, DIFFERENCE IN TWO PRICES WOULD BE CONSIDERED A
BOUNTY OR GRANT WITHIN MEANING OF COUNTERVAILING DUTY LAW.
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